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<i>Atty. Docket No.:</i>	TYR-P0011	)	

RESPONSE TO THE NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the Notification of Defective Response mailed on August 21, 2008, (a copy of which is attached), Applicants submit herewith fully executed Declarations For Utility of Design Patent Application of inventors, Geoffrey Buddington, David Cheale, and Jennifer Shaw.

Applicants believe that the application is now complete and free of any defects and respectfully request the Examiner to consider the application complete and that the application proceed to full examination.

It is believed that no fee is required with this response. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be associated with this response to Baker LLP Deposit Account No. 02-0390.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments



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## NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/20/2008
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/20/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 08/15/2008
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/20/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 08/15/2008
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/20/2006
- Assignment filed on 07/20/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 07/20/2006
- Power of Attorney filed on 07/20/2006
- Specification filed on 07/20/2006
- Claims filed on 07/20/2006
- Abstracts filed on 07/20/2006
- Drawings filed on 07/20/2006

REPLY DUE: 9/12/08  
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Applicant's response filed 08/15/2008 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 06/17/2008 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - While each inventor need not execute the same oath or declaration, each oath or declaration executed by an inventor must contain a complete listing of all inventors so as to clearly indicate what each inventor believes to be the appropriate inventive entity.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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